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## **DCR Set to Begin Enhancement Project of Jack Phillips Playground at Hull's Nantasket Beach**

**Hull - Friday, June 5, 2015-** Today, the Department of Conservation and Recreation (DCR) has announced that the Jack Phillips Playground, located at Nantasket Beach in Hull, MA, will receive major improvements this month to enhance the recreational opportunities available to beachgoers.

Improvements to the playground, which is adjacent to the Mary Jeanette Murray Bathhouse located at 204 Nantasket Avenue, include:

- The replacement of the rubberized safety surface;
- The refinishing of metal surfaces;
- The painting of the playground structure;
- The replacement of several activity panels on the playground; and
- The installation of additional tot swings and spring toys.

"The Jack Phillips Playground is a major source of enjoyment for families, camp goers, and beachgoers, and the commitment made by the Department of Conservation and Recreation to enhance the playground is an example that the agency is dedicated to ensuring safe outdoor recreational activities remain available for generations to enjoy," said DCR Commissioner Carol Sanchez.

The enhancement project will cost approximately \$100,000, and will commence on Monday, June 8, 2015. The playground will be closed for the duration of the repairs and enhancements, which are expected to last approximately three weeks.

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